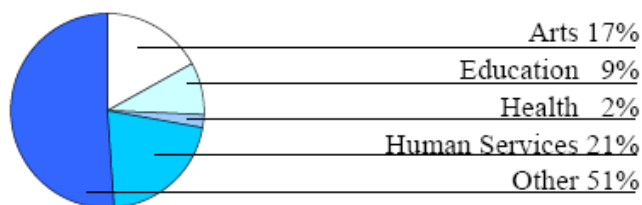


VERNON PARISH

Number of Community-Based Organizations, 2006

Congregations	
Number of congregations.....	95
Median number of members.....	150
Nonprofits	
Number registered with the IRS.....	47
Number filing returns with the IRS.....	9

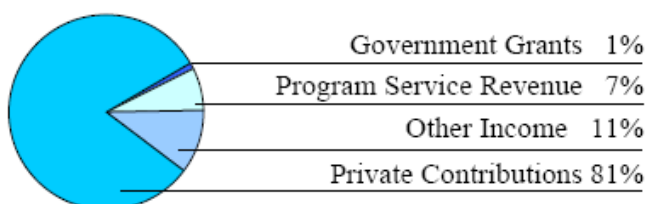
Registered Nonprofits by Type of Service, 2006



Nonprofit Finances, 2006 (nonprofits that file with IRS)

	Vernon Parish		Median (\$) for Central Louisiana
	Total (\$)	Median (\$)	
Revenue	4,313,157	133,492	167,143
Expenses	3,425,708	133,702	168,517
Assets	6,246,580	226,939	165,624
Liabilities	323,766	0	5,227

Sources of Revenue, 2006 (nonprofits that file with IRS)



Fiscal Health, 2006 (nonprofits that file with IRS)

Median operating margin (Total revenues – total expenses).....	\$8,740
Percent with positive operating margin.....	67%
Percent with negative operating margin.....	33%

Quick Facts about Vernon Parish, 2006

Vernon Parish has the highest median income (\$36,000) of all parishes in Central Louisiana. It also has twice as many congregations (95) as nonprofits (47). Vernon's nonprofits receive 81 percent of their revenue from private contributions, more than in any other parish in the region. Nearly two of every three nonprofits in Vernon ended 2006 with a positive operating margin.

Demographics of Vernon Parish, 2006

Total Population.....	48,723
Age	
Median Age.....	30
Children (14 and under).....	27%
Youth (15–19).....	7%
Adults (20–54).....	49%
Seniors (55 and older).....	17%
Race/Ethnicity	
African American.....	15%
White.....	78%
Other.....	7%

Economic Measures of Vernon Parish, 2006

Median Household Income.....	\$36,072
Percent Living below the Poverty Level.....	19%

The Central Louisiana Region



Sources: The Urban Institute, National Center for Charitable Statistics, Core Files, 2006; The American Church List, 2006; The Internal Revenue Service, Exempt Organization Business Master File, 2006; The U.S. Census Bureau, American Community Survey, (2005–07); and The U.S. Census Bureau, Small Area Income & Poverty Estimates, 2006.

Note: Percentages may not sum to 100 because of rounding.